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Mr. William F. Caton
Acting Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, SW
Washington, DC 20554

Re: Application by Verizon-New England Inc. for Authorization to Provide In-Region
InterLATA Services in the State of Rhode Island, CC Docket No. 01-324

Dear Mr. Caton:

Today, Peter Keisler, Robert Quinn and the undersigned, all representing AT&T, met with Matthew Brill, Legal Advisor to Commissioner Abernathy. Consistent with its comments filed in this proceeding, AT&T reiterated its arguments that Verizon's UNE rates in Rhode Island are not TELRIC-compliant. In addition, we discussed the New York Public Service Commission's January 28, 2002 UNE Order and demonstrated that using those rates as a benchmark provides further evidence that Verizon's rates in Rhode Island do not comply with TELRIC principles.

One electronic copy of this Notice is being submitted to the Secretary of the FCC in accordance with Section 1.1206 of the Commission's rules.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Amy L. Alvarez".

cc: Matthew Brill
Julie Veach
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